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**GRAND JURORS**

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| Daniel Cameron | Beat 7 |
| B. F. Tindell | Beat 5 |
| A. BcSamell | Beat 11 |
| Isiah Brackin | Beat 8 |
| A. Y. Malone | Beat 3 |
| B. F. Sellers | Beat 6 |
| M. E. Bush | Beat 2 |
| J. J. Boyett | Beat 3 |
| N. W. Black | Beat 6 |
| S. W. Burdeshaw | Beat 9 |
| T. P. McGriff | Beat13 |
| W. A. Green | Beat 3 |
| L. Dupree | Beat 4 |
| T. C. Lee | Beat 1 |
| S. Watford | Beat 12 |
| Sid Watford | Beat 5 |
| R. H. Southerland | Beat 13 |
| J. D. Harrison | Beat 12 |

**PETIT JURORS**

**First Week**

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| W. F. Bowen | Beat 7 |
| R. C. Burkett | Beat 12 |
| J. B. McGilvery | Beat 1 |
| W. W. Kornegay | Beat 7 |
| W. J. Newton | Beat 8 |
| C. J. Lee | Beat 1 |
| L. H. Avery | Beat 6 |
| C. H. Trawick | Beat 5 |
| A. L. Tindell | Beat 5 |
| J. H. McCoy | Beat 6 |
| A. L. Ennis | Beat 3 |
| J. F. Newton | Beat 8 |
| J. B. Lonsford | Beat 2 |
| B. B. Burkett | Beat 11 |
| V. C. Corley | Beat 10 |
| W. M. Faulk | Beat 9 |
| W .S. Cook | Beat 12 |
| I. L. Holland | Beat 3 |
| W. H. Christian | Beat 13 |
| James Trawick | Beat 2 |
| W. S. Thomley | Beat 1 |
| Wm. Yobce | Beat 9 |
| A. L. Hartley | Beat 10 |
| L. F. Hopkins | Beat 13 |
| C. A. Howard | Beat 12 |
| P. Fordham | Beat 8 |
| A. J. Galloway | Beat 3 |
| C .P. Sellers | Beat 6 |
| A. D. Bruner | Beat 11 |
| W. E. Day | Beat 4 |

**Second Week**

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| H. C. Bass | Beat 5 |
| A. K. Peacock | Beat 3 |
| J. W. Durham | Beat 5 |
| Daniel Cooper | Beat 5 |
| H. H. Metcalf | Beat 6 |
| W. H. Herrington | Beat 10 |
| C. H. Jackson | Beat 2 |
| W. H. Hughes | Beat 6 |
| S. J. Espy | Beat 3 |
| G. W. Love | Beat 7 |
| J. N. Clemons | Beat 8 |
| J. H. Lane | Beat 3 |
| W. C. Webb | Beat 8 |
| J. C. Hodgee | Beat 7 |
| J. W. Smith | Beat 7 |
| W. E. McEachern | Beat 12 |
| J. C. Bruner | Beat 10 |
| L. S. Grantham | Beat 8 |
| J. C. Culbreth | Beat 12 |
| Albert L. Williams | Beat 13 |
| W. J. Kirkland | Beat 3 |
| R. A. Pickett | Beat 9 |
| John T. Culbreth | Beat 1 |
| Jacob Rister | Beat 1 |
| E. S. Cumbia | Beat 1 |
| J. T. Robins | Beat 4 |
| J. D. Heflin | Beat 2 |
| J. W. Dozier | Beat 3 |
| G. W. Hobbs | Beat 12 |
| O. L. McArthur | Beat 10 |

**Third Week**

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| J. Messer | Beat 6 |
| D. H. Guy | Beat 6 |
| J. B. Bullock | Beat 5 |
| H. P. Calhoun | Beat 6 |
| J. N. Whitaker | Beat 10 |
| W. H. Wells | Beat 8 |
| Walter Howell | Beat 3 |
| J. A. Cameron | Beat 7 |
| W. H. Jordan | Beat 7 |
| J. W. Fortson | Beat 2 |
| Cuurtis Kirkland | Beat 8 |
| J. J. Hollis | Beat 1 |
| A. J. Smith | Beat 3 |
| L. T. Ferrell | Beat 13 |
| J. L. Box | Beat 5 |
| J. N. Anderson | Beat 11 |
| Ashley Gilley Jr. | Beat 1 |
| A. N. Justice | Beat12 |
| H. L. Wofford | Beat 12 |
| B. F. Dupree | Beat 4 |
| J. D. McCardel | Beat 9 |
| A. B. Underwood | Beat 2 |
| J. C. Lee | Beat 4 |
| J. N. Sellers | Beat 10 |
| T. F. Cobb | Beat 3 |
| C. J. Batson | Beat 9 |
| Smith Hall | Beat 12 |
| A. M. Baxter | Beat 12 |
| J. T. Williams | Beat 11 |
| J. O. Godwin | Beat 4 |

## ANOTHER OFFER

In order to stimulate a little more interest in the subscription line, we will send the daily Eagle to any address, from now till Christmas, for $1. Just one dollar for nearly three months reading. There are some who haven't taken the paper. Some living out of town who could get on at this rate. Not much doing, ordinarily, out such things that happen in this section, we will say something about them. Then contestants can send in dollars on subscription, and if $5. is turned in for the paper, 600 votes will be given. If ten dollars is turned in at one time, then we will do better. We will give 1400 votes, which ought to be sufficent to satisfy, and put the contestants out in the field for another roundup. Before this thing ends, we hope to have the paper in all the homes, where the people will stand for it, or us, under any circumstances.

## BOB WILLIAMS RESIGNS PRESIDENCY OF CLUB

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Dothan Commercial Club held yesterday afternoon, Mr. R. C. Williams tendered his resignation as president on account of increased business cares and his inability to give the Club work the attention required by it.

Mr. Williams has been at the head of the Club since it's organization in June, and his energy, ability and enthusiasm the Club has prospered.

Mr. Williams resignation will be acted upon and his successor elected at the regular meeting of the Club tomorrow night.

## THE CITY BEAUTIFUL

We saw a street scene of a neighboring city the other day which showed off to advantage the principal resident street of the town and would have been a credit to the place but for the fact that the scene was ruined on account of several ram shackle front yard fences that showed up in the picture.

We were surprised that the residents of that place should allow such unsightly objects remain to mar the looks of this principal street.

Dothan people are learning better and the front yard fence is giving way to a beautiful lawn and a concrete walk and curbing.

The city beatiful idea is growing in Dothan.

FOR RENT— 7 room house, with sanitary connection, electric lights. Centrally located on S. Oates street. Apply to Sol Lurie. tf

**ARTISTIC SIGNS**

I have employed Mr. Richmond, an artistic sign writer, for a short time. If you are in need of a glass, board, or cloth sign, see me at once.

W. R. Tennille.to O 10

## NOTICE

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF HOUSTON..

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the various precints of Houston County, Alabama, on Tuesday, the third day of November, 1908, for the election of electors for President of the United States, Vice-President of the United States, a Representative of Congress from the third Congressional District of Alabama, two Associate Justices for the Supreme Court of the State of Alabama, a Game and Fish Commissioner for the State of Alabama, a President of the Rail Road Commission of the State of Alabama, a Chancellor for the Southeastern Chancery Division of Alabama, and a Coroner, Tax-assessor, a Tax-Collecter, a Superintendent of Education, a County Treasurer, four County Commissioners, two Justices of the Peace and one Constable from each precinct of said County of Houston, Alabama.

And at said election the following Constitutional amendments shall be voted on:—

An amendment to the Constitution of theState of Alabama for the purpose of providing for the formation and establishig of new counties out of portions of one two or more counties as may be desired.

An amendment to Section 93, Article 4 of the Constitution so as to provide that the State may, under appropiate laws, cause the net proceeds from the State convict funds to be applied to the construction, repair and maintenance of public roads of the State, and allow the Legislature to make additional appropiations for that purpose.

And also an amendment to Section 48 and46 of Article 4 of the Constitution so as to provide for biennial sessions of the Legislature.

This the 2nd day of Oct. 1908

T. W. Butler
Sheriff

Oct. 7, 14, 21.

**Ladies Must Not Read This Ad.**

From Oct., 1 to 17, in order to move old goods, and replace my stock with new, I will sell at cost. Such as Watches, Jewelry, Cutglass, Silver, and Silver plated Flat ware, Spoons. Tea and Coffee Sets, Notions and Toilet Articles.

t08 R T. Ghent.

**I HAVE MOVED.**

I have moved from my old stand to the building occupied by W. E. Hughes, the photographer, on W. Main street, where I will be glad to see all my friends and customers. t—8

## MOSLEMS AT PRAYER.

**The Khedive's Devotions on the Last Friday of Ramadan.**

As the living stream continued to flow in by one door there suddenly arrived at the main entrance the central figure of the day's spectacle—the khedive coming to say his prayers on the last Friday of Ramadan.

The brilliant escort, the royal salute, the military band and flash of arms were the affair of an instant. He had alighted and entered for worship. And still the stream of other men, arrested for a moment, flowed on and in.

With the magic of the east, unaccountably slow and unaccountably swift, the stream was reversed in its course, and it poured and surged back through the gateway, a stream before, a flood now.

Soldiers and police struggled and fought to keep it within bounds, for the khedive had finished his prayers and must be allowed to return as he had come. Another brief ceremonial and the brilliant escort and the magnificent carriage of the Turkish ambassador had swept by.

Then came a general tumult, and the pent up human masses poured over the open space, noisy, childish and jubilant. In strange contrast to the wild scene below were a few women of the poorest class up on the flat housetops.

Closely shrouded in their black dresses, they crouched motionless like birds, gazing down from their isolation on the great sight in which there was no place for them. Outside, as inside, they all were men. The climax of the day had not yet been reached.

As soon as the ebbing tide had somewhat abated it was possible to press through the doorway into the interior of the mosque.

Those who had already finished their worship were writing their names on the walls, touching the sacred pillar, licking the stone that brings prosperity, squeezing into the niche that secures health, fingering the gorgeous carpet on which the khedive had prayed, kissing the saint's tomb and looking with supercilious suspicion on the Christians who had quietly come into their midst.

The roof of the liwan was low for its great extent, and the sounds reverberated from it. A little farther on two rows of men faced each other and swayed backward and forward, bending their bodies nearly double. As they did so there arose rhythmically and with an intensity of fervor the awful word, "Allah Allah, Allah!"

The sound rose and fell with the accompanying motion and was repeated time after time as the mighty machine seemed to become intoxicated with the strength of its own assertion.

There was little frenzy. The startling thing was that these men knew what they were doing. Seated on the ground close by was a group of men, sane and purposeful, led by a staid and dignified sheikh, who swayed to and fro and recited with monotonous intentness the Moslem's hundred names of God.

Here under an old roof, supported by 300 columns, all of which were taken from various ancient Christian churches, was the prophet's God worshiped with a meaning that could not be mistaken.—"The East and the West."

**The Magic of Rome.**

The story of Rome is a tale of murder and sudden death, varied changing, never repeated in the same way. There is blood on every threshold. A tragedy lies buried in every church and chapel, and again we ask in vain wherein lies the magic of the city that has fed on terror and grown old in carnage, the charm that draws men to her, the power that holds, the magic that enthralls men soul and body, as Lady Venus cast her spells upon Tannhauser in her mountain of old. Yet none deny it, and as centuries roll on the poets, the men of letters, the musicians, the artists of all ages, have come to her from far countries and have dwelt here while they might, some for long years, some for the few months they could spare, and all of them have left something, a verse, a line, a sketch, a story, that breathes the threefold mystery of love, eternity and death.—"Studies From the Chronicles of Rome," by Marion Crawford.

## Exultation That Comes With the Storm After the Drought

Did you ever notice the difference in your feelings when a long drought breaks?

[illegible] hang dejectedly. [illegible] as it would if [illegible] had fallen that [illegible] feeling that [illegible] cannot wholly be [illegible] —once, gray black, [illegible] clouds have gathered [illegible] again and filled you with [illegible] they drifted away after [illegible] breeze and maybe a little lightning and thunder.

This time it looks [illegible]. A cool wind is blowing, but it can't mean rain. That's just the way it acted before when you got fooled. It is lightning in the north and east, and you hear a distant peal of thunder. But that doesn't mean anything, for it did that before. There are clouds boiling up a rolly proscenium arch over a plain drab curtain reaching to the horizon.

That looks more hopeful, but your heart is fighting against hope. You are depressed and afraid to get over it for fear you will just have to go to the trouble of getting depressed again.

Then comes a gust of wind, a sharp, defiant gust—and there are wet drops in it. Your heart stops beating for a moment through downright deliciousness of joy. But you won't let yourself be fooled.

There! It's raining cats and dogs! Get that window shut! Bring in that chair off the porch!

Now you can take a deep breath and resume the plans for the future that you had left off involuntarily and hopelessly, a week or ten days ago, your whole existence having been unconsciously merged into one waking and sleeping day and night prayer for rain.

You smile with the joy of a child. Things that looked ominous to you a day ago—why, you can laugh right in their faces now. It has rained! It has rained! And living once more is worth while.—Chicago News.

The best of all rice known in the market for size and quality is that grown in South Carolina. The year 1694 is the earliest in which rice is known to have been grown in this country. Rice culture is as old as history, having been known in India from time immemorial. The wild rice, still plentiful in the marshy, tropical countries of southern Asia, is undoubtedly the plant from which all forms of cultured rice have been derived.—New York American.

## THE EASY CHAIR

**[illegible]**

[illegible] Carlyle lived among the hard angles of uncomfortable furniture and wrote irritably. A man's literary taste, it may as well be said, is not formed so much by his education or his early life or his friends as by his chairs. A man without an easy chair would develop an austere taste. He would read Bacon, Macaulay and Hume. A man with an uncomfortable easy chair would read Hazlitt, Carlyle, Schopenhauer, Nietzsche and Ibsen. A man with a chair which he had molded to all the whims of his body would read Dickens, Lamb, Shakespeare, Meredith, Flaubert and Tennyson.

No one, fortunately, has a finer instinct for comfort than the Englishman, and so long as this is so there should be no danger of the decline of good books and poetry and optimism. Only the man who has an easy chair can read the right books.

**The Human Finger Bowl.**

"I'm fond of the table d'hote," said the table d'hote fiend, "but they are ruining the manners of the people. The other night I saw the prettiest girl at a table across from me, so pretty I could hardly keep my eyes off her. She was dressed in white, with a big white hat covered with a white veil, and had lovely blue eyes, and when she had finished eating her pear she licked every finger she had on both hands." [illegible] York Press.

**A Little Truth**

Four years ago Parker & Ezelle "alone" suppliep the demand for Parker-Ezelle clothes.

Today we have fourteen union tailors, busy as bees making them, and our force will have to be increased to supply the demand.

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**Parker & Ezelle**

Haberdashers and Tailors

**Ladies Skirts**

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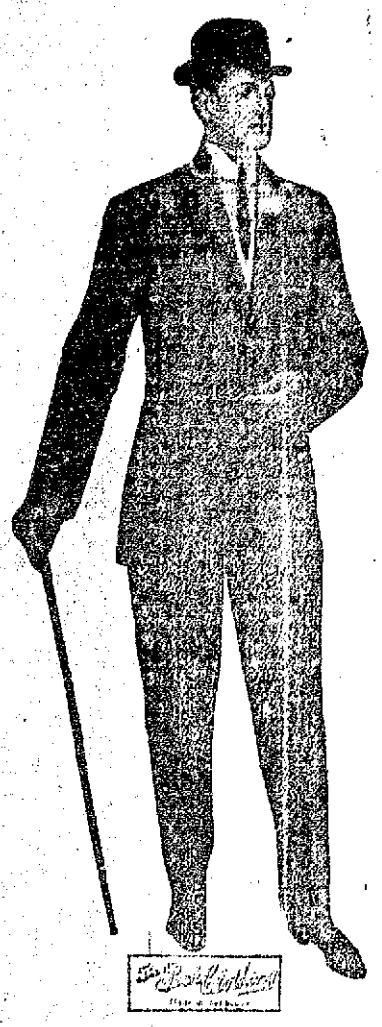

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## of the Popularity of our Clothe

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If he comes seeking nobby patterns--we can suit him!
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**We have models here for all shapes and sizes, and the prices, as always, worthy of serious consideration.**

## Grant Clothing Company


### SNAKES' EGG HATCHING.

**Tip on Reptile's Snout With Which It Breaks Its Way Out.**

Because of the popular aversion to the serpent family there is a surprising amount of ignorance about even the simplest of snake habits. It is doubtful if many correct answers could be given to the question whether snakes lay eggs or bear their young alive. As a matter of fact, some species are viviparous and others oviparous. Most of the poisonous snakes as well as many of the harmless varieties belong to the former class.

The European ring snake is closely allied to our common water snake and goes by the scientific name Tropidonotus natrix. Curiously enough, all other members of the genus tropidonotus are viviparous, and this species alone lays eggs. Furthermore, according to Gadow's "Amphibia and Reptiles," the new laid eggs usually show not the slightest visible sign of an embryo unless oviposition is delayed, when the embryos are more or less developed.

The eggs are laid in July or August in a soft bed of loam or decaying vegetation or in a heap of manure. The older snakes sometimes lay as many as a dozen eggs or more, and they usually stick together, so that the entire cluster can be picked up at once. Sometimes, however, if the process of laying is slow, they will be separated. The eggs are about an inch long and of a whitish yellow color. The shell is thin and flexible, like parchment.

The young hatch in late summer or autumn. Before hatching they develop a sharp calcareous growth on the tip of the snout, known as the egg tooth, with which the shell is slit open. Unlike hatching chicks, which are suddenly dispossessed by the breaking of their brittle shells, the young snakes make many incisions in the parchment envelopes and take many peeps at the outside world before venturing forth into the new environment. Shortly after hatching the egg tooth is lost.

At first the young live on insects and worms, but within a few weeks they are strong enough to attack and devour young frogs. Strangely enough, although the adults are strong swimmers and spend much time in ponds and streams hunting the fish and frogs on which they subsist, the young are unable to swim, and they will soon drown if they fall into the water. The European ring snake, as well as the American water snake, makes an excellent pet. It is perfecty harmless, becomes very tame and learns to know the difference between friends and strangers. Gadow tells of a pet ring snake that would eat from his hand, crawl up his coat sleeve and coil itself contentedly on his arm.—Scientific American.

Nell—Maude has a new dressmaker. What do you think of the fit

Robert Symmer, in 1759, described some most entertaining experiments, making use of the opposite electrifications of superposed stockings of different materials or merely of different colors, the dye matters in the latter case causing differentiation. If in a dry atmosphere a silk stocking be drawn over the leg and a woolen one pulled over it, the two will be found upon being removed to be very powerfully electrified in opposite senses. If the four stockings of two such pairs be used and then suspended together, they will indulge in remarkable antics due to each of the silk stockings trying to attract both of the woolen ones, and vice versa, and, on the other hand, each of each kind repelling the other. The amount of electrical attraction and repulsion produced in this simple way in a dry atmosphere is remarkable. The experiment may also be performed with all silk stockings, one pair white and the other black.

### A Great Factor.

Visitor—So you've got a dog and a cat for pets. They must be splendid companions for you.

Tommy—Oh, not very! They don't eat cake or jam.

Visitor—Well, what has that to do with it?

Tommy—Well, when there's any cake and jam missing they don't get blamed for it.—Philadelphia Press.

### Fire Caused by Sea Waves.

In spite of apparent impossibility a fire was caused by water some few years ago on the western coast of Ireland. The rocks along this coast, which the huge Atlantic rollers have for centuries been slowly breaking down and piercing with great caverns, contain in their depths masses of iron pyrites and alum. At one part of the coast the water penetrated to these, and a rapid oxidization took place, which produced a heat fierce enough to set the whole cliff on fire. For weeks the rocks burned like a regular volcano, and great clouds of smoke and vapor rose high in the air. When at last the fire died out, great masses of lava and clay burned to brick were found in every direction.

### The Carnivorous Ants.

The subject of vegetarianism had occupied a great deal of attention in the family. One day the five-year-old was out walking with his older sister, and he meddled somewhat too freely with the affairs of a large colony of ants. He deserted them rather suddenly and came back to his sister's side, rubbing his bare legs vigorously.

"What's the matter?" asked sister.

"Oh, nothing, only them ants ain't vegetarians," was the sententious reply of the youngster.

### Sun and Earth.

The sun's greatest distance from the earth, about July 1, is nearly 94,000,000 miles; his least, about Jan. 1, rather less than 91,500,000 miles; his mean distance is about 92,333,000 miles. It may serve to give some idea of the vastness of this distance to say that a ball fired from a thirteen inch gun at the sun would require thirteen years to reach its mark, supposing its velocity to remain unchanged throughout the journey. The sun's diameter is 860,000 miles, exceeding the earth's about 109 times. The sun exceeds the earth in surface 11,750 times and in volume 1,260,000 times.

### Ancient High Buildings.

In the Rome of the Caesars trouble was experienced with high buildings. A law was passed restricting the height of fronts to sixty feet. In order to evade it builders adopted the practice of carrying up the rear portion several stories more. Other laws bearing on the heights of buildings were passed in olden times. There was a tendency to diminish the height of stories as the buildings increased in size, and a height of 130 feet was probably attained. It is believed that the ceilings were so low that a man could not stand upright in the rooms.

## Standing of the Piano and Watch Contestants.

**Showing votes cast up to noon today.**

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| Miss Ida Daughety, " Route 3, | 31,845 |
| Mrs. J. C. Moore, Dothan, | 31,575 |
| Mrs. Bob Williams, " | 24,295 |
| Miss Bert Faircloth, " | 23,749 |
| Miss Birdie Askew, Columbia, | 2,605 |
| Miss Idas Register, Taylor, | 1,805 |
| Miss Dixie Crymes, Dothan, | 1,455 |
| Miss Verna Hopkins, Pansey, | 1,350 |
| Miss Nina Mae Binion, Dothan, | 900 |
| Miss Ressie Coe, Dothan, | 820 |
| Miss Rudy Love, " | 545 |
| Miss Addie Davis, Newton Rt. 1, | 340 |
| Miss Mattie Burdeshaw, Kinsey, | 900 |
| Miss Jonnie Ganey, Dothan, | 220 |
| Miss Eva Mann, Dothan Route 3, | 230 |

### The Reason.

Pheeder—I'm always sorry when the shad season is over. It's the only fish I like. I wonder why Providence gives it to us only in the spring—

Crabbe (a rabid pessimist)—I'll bet it's because that's the only season when it has all its bones.—Philadelphia Press.


FOR RENT—One furnished front room. Meals convenient. 45 North Oates St.

STAYED—One-eyed brown Texas Mare, with sore on left front ankle. Finder return to our stable and get reward.

1twk. Whatley & Ward.

# Fall Suits for Men and Boys

You may look all over the conntry and never get a prettier fit, or a more lasting suit than I am offering you in the **Hamburger Clothes**. The price is right; it is reasonable, when you take into consideration the workmanship in every garment that goes out of my store.

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## O. P. GREEN

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Fair tonight and Thursday.

As the tree leans, so it falls.

People are coming to Dothan every day or so. Meet them; greet them.

Successs comes sometimes just as the last hope puts on its things to hurry away.

The happiest people in the world are those who haven't got what they want, but expect to.

Which set of a horse's legs is straightened out first when he goes to rise? And the cow's?

The crowds get bigger in Dothan, and the bundles they carry look heavier.

The heyday of youth needs a good deal of sun shine, like the other.

If you can't smile don't screw your face up till some one asks you what's the matter.

Every walk of life has by paths over which the weary turn aside and rest, or fall out of the professional ranks entirely.

But few of us know as many people as we ought. People are interesting animals and should be studied at close range, when they are feeling well.

"Watson will speak again," is the heading. If he ever refused to speak his friends or his enemies weren't in hearing at the time of such refusal, and it never got out. All of his words uttered in this campaign are poison-tipped, and directed at the bosom of the Democratic party.

Our Congressman H. D. Clayton has gone west to speak in the doubtful states in behalf of W. J. Bryan. Mr. Clayton is a strong Bryan man and has worked hard, both to secure his nomination and his election. Should Bryan be elected we will not be surprised to see a place in the cabinet offered H. D. Clayton.

An Atlanta young man was convicted the other day for having more wives than the law allows, when the law is at itsself. There are many who stagger along through life, paddliing a singleseated canoe with one oar, for the good and sufficient reason that they cannot find a woman who will agree to share the journey.

This paper had to be made just a little bigger. Not much, but enough to accommodate afew who couldn't get in on the present size. Here goes for six columns as long as the business warrants it. And this business seems good for at least a couple of months. These Dothan merchants are hungry to tell the daily readers about their wares, and we are willing to aid and abet them.

When a doctor prescribes for you and folds the one dollar bill to fit his watch pocket, he'd rather you'd take his medicine, but it is not compulsory, like vacination Neither is the reading of this paper compulsory, but the paying for it is. Then it's yours, and a person feels a different kind of an interest in a piece of property that is costing him real mon-

When you find lush, rot, or other decayed matter in this paper, take your knife and cut it out. Perform an operation, and when the next person picks up the paper and sees something cut out, he will hunt for another to see what it was you were so interested in.

Governor Comer has been to Washington to tell the President, and his attorney, that he can't do a thing with these Alabama railroads, unless he, the President jumps in and gives a lift. The President thought the weather was fine, for the time of year, but he predicted a cold winter, but hot times from now till Nov. 3, during which time he's have trouble of his own.

The practice, set by Southerners for lynching negro men for assaults on white women has spread over the entire country. At Los Angeles, Cal., Monday several persons were seriously hurt in court while attempting to lynch a negro for assulting Miss Edith Ralster, a concert singer, during the trial of the case. The negro was spirited away while the row was on, and going before another judge, plead guilty and received a life sentence.

The most dignified thing in the world is a corpse, but it has little influence; and the ponderous dignity of the old-fashioned editor is out of date today. The modern writer, tries to point a moral by means of a jest, or clinch an argument by telling a story, is a being of honor to the old timer; yet he has the audience, and the dignified writer has no audience but the proof-reader. What's the use of writing a long, heavy editorial, replete with facts, statistics and argument, if nobody will read it? The present day newspaper is often described as being flippant, but it isn't. It is always trying to teach valuable lessons, to encourage good things, to expose shams, and to advance the cause of morality, but it refuses to wear sackcloth and ashes while doing so; and by this refusal it reaches the people, and in the course of time its influence is felt and acknowledged.—Emporia Gazette.

### Expectes Much.

A Georgia preacher got up a breech of promise suit in the sum of $10,000, and he a preacher, which is the news value of the report.

The woman in the case seemed to misunderstand the preacher, of his meaning, and when she came right to the point, and demand that he marry her instantly and take her home as his wife, he hemmed and hawed, and scraped the ground with his foot, but told her the truth. He told her that he didn't want to die till the good Lord got ready for him, but that he would cheerfully die before he would marry her under any circumstances and be glad of such a means of escape.

The woman got offended at his apparent coldness, and told him with some feeling, that if he felt that way about it, she, personally didn't give a two em dash what became of her anyway.

The preacher has not paid the amount asked for, $10,000.

### Too Critics.

Newitt—Yes, he's getting out a book of his poems. Calls the thing "Autumn Leaves," I believe.

Crittick—You don't say!

Newitt—Yes; rather commonplace, don't you think?

Crittick—Yes, and very inappro-


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C. O. Hox, was in town today.

D. S. McKissack, of Slocomb, called today, and paid for the Eagle a year.

Jas. L. Skipper, brother of Mrs. W. C. Strickland, has just been discharged from the army, having been in the service ten years. He was with the signal corps in Cuba for the last year or two.

J. N. Sellers, of Ashford, was here today.

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